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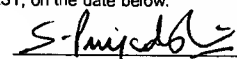
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**I. PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT; AND**  
**II. RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF INCOMPLETE REPLY**

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Sir:

This paper is being filed in Response to the Notice of Incomplete Reply, for which the two-month date for reply is October 7, 2002. No fees are believed due in connection with this amendment, but should fees become due under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 to 1.21 for any reason relating to this paper, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to deduct said fees from Fulbright & Jaworski, L.L.P. Deposit Account No. 50-1212/10109288/10055.

Consideration of the case in view of the instant amendment is respectfully requested.

## I. PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

### **In the Specification:**

After page 154, please insert a paper copy of the sequence listing, attached herewith as **Appendix A**.


## II. RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF INCOMPLETE REPLY

In response to the Notice of Incomplete Reply mailed August 7, 2002, the specification has been amended by inserting, after page 154, a sequence listing that lists sequences originally described in the specification on page 96. No new matter is added by this amendment. A copy of the sequence listing is attached herewith as **Appendix A**. A copy of the Notice of Incomplete Reply has been attached herewith as **Appendix B**.

## CONCLUSION

Applicants respectfully request that the instant amendments be entered in the case. In view of the foregoing, it is respectfully submitted that the Application is in condition for Examination. The examiner is invited to contact the undersigned at 512-536-3067 with any questions, comments or suggestions relating to the referenced patent application.

Respectfully submitted,



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